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Amendment of Section 73.202(b))
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FM Broadcast Stations) RM - 10825
(Tullahoma, Tennessee and New Market,)
Alabama))

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To: Office of the Secretary
Attn: Assistant Chief, Audio Division
Media Bureau

COMMENTS

Tennessee Valley Radio, Inc. ("Tennessee Valley"), licensee of WHRP (FM) (formerly WUSX (FM)), Tullahoma, Tennessee, by its counsel, hereby submits its Comments in the above captioned proceeding. *See Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, DA 03-3869, (released December 8, 2003) ("*Notice*"). In its Petition for Rule Making ("*Petition*"), Tennessee Valley proposed to delete Channel 227C1 at Tullahoma, Tennessee and allot Channel 227C2 to New Market, Alabama as its first local service. Tennessee Valley hereby reaffirms its interest in providing first local service to New Market as stated in its Petition. If the Petition is granted, Tennessee Valley will file an application for Channel 227C2 at New Market, and will construct the facilities if its application is granted.

1. The Notice requested a *Tuck* showing on the basis that the proposed 70 dBu contour of WHRP will cover 82.4% of the Huntsville Urbanized Area. *See Faye and Richard Tuck*, 3 FCC Rcd 5374 (1988) ("*Tuck*"). However, Tennessee Valley maintains that a *Tuck* showing is not required in this proceeding due to the fact that WHRP, as it is currently sited in Tullahoma, already covers 90.1% of the Huntsville Urbanized Area. *See Dayton, Incline Village*

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and Reno, Nevada, 15 FCC Rcd 22461 (2000); *St. Maries, Idaho and Spokane, Washington*, 14 FCC Rcd 17012 (1999); *Boulder and Lafayette, Colorado*, 12 FCC Rcd 583 (1997).¹ Here, moving WHP from Tullahoma to New Market will actually result in a *decrease* in coverage over the Huntsville Urbanized Area from 90.1% to 82.4%. Therefore, a *Tuck* showing is not required. However, in the interest of replying to the request of the Commission in the *Notice*, Tennessee Valley is providing the following *Tuck* showing for New Market:

2. The first *Tuck* factor requires the Commission to examine the signal population coverage from the proposed transmitter site. *See Tuck*, 3 FCC Rcd 5374. In its Petition, Tennessee Valley indicated that from the proposed transmitter site, WHP would place a 70 dBu contour to 82.4% of the Huntsville Urbanized Area.

3. The second *Tuck* factor requires the Commission to examine the size and proximity of the proposed community relative to the adjacent city. *See Tuck*, 3 FCC Rcd 5374. The 2000 Census population of New Market (1,864) is 1.2% of the population of Huntsville (158,216), and New Market is located 28.7 kilometers from Huntsville. *See Exhibit 1*. These figures are similar to those of other communities granted a first local preference. *See e.g. Old Fort, Fletcher, and Asheville, North Carolina; Surgoinsville, Tennessee, and Augusta, Georgia*, 18 FCC Rcd 12181 (2003) (Fletcher is located 17 kilometers from Asheville); *Malvern and Bryant, Arkansas*, 14 FCC Rcd 3576 (1999) (Bryant's population is 3% of that of Little Rock, and Bryant is located 20 miles from Little Rock); *Ada, Newcastle and Watonga, Oklahoma*, 11 FCC Rcd 16896 (1996) (Newcastle's population is 0.9% of that of Oklahoma City).

¹ In *St. Maries, Idaho and Spokane, Washington*, the Commission did not require a *Tuck* showing where a station proposed to change its community of license and increase its coverage over an urbanized area from 60% to 100%. 14 FCC Rcd 17012. In *Dayton, Incline Village and Reno, Nevada*, and *Boulder and Lafayette, Colorado* a *Tuck* showing was not required for increases in coverage over an urbanized area, from 77.1% to 87.7% and from 95% to 100%, respectively. *Dayton, Incline Village and Reno, Nevada*, 15 FCC Rcd 22461; *Boulder and Lafayette, Colorado*, 12 FCC Rcd 583.

Nevertheless, the Commission has repeatedly stated that these factors are less important than evidence of independence. *See Headland, Alabama and Chattahoochee, Florida*, 10 FCC Rcd 10352 (1995). The following analysis of the eight *Tuck* factors demonstrates the independence of New Market from Huntsville:

(1) *Extent to which the residents of New Market work in New Market.*

According to 2000 Census figures, 48 of the 848 employed individuals in New Market, or 5.1%, work at their place of residence. *See Exhibit 1*. As shown below, there are many employers in New Market who provide ample opportunities for New Market residents to be employed in New Market and not in Huntsville. This alleviates any concerns that New Market is dependent on Huntsville for the employment of its residents. *See Lebanon and Speedway, Indiana*, DA 02-3418 (2002).

(2) *Newspapers and other local media that cover New Market's needs and interests.* The Madison County Record is the newspaper that serves the community of New Market. It has a print and on-line edition, and contains a number of detailed sections, including sports, weather, health, finance, local, classifieds, and entertainment. The Madison County Record provides the residents of New Market with a local media outlet that is independent of Huntsville. *See Exhibit 1*.

(3) *Community leaders and residents perceive New Market as being separate from Huntsville.* New Market, located in the Tennessee Valley region, was settled as early as 1806 as a commercial center for the agricultural community. New Market is "greatly respected for development of religious and educational endeavors, and furnishing political leadership in local and state governments." The Sharon Johnston Park, a 250 acre park located in New Market "reflects the early settlement look of New Market, the pioneering community of

Alabama.” See Exhibit 1.

(4) New Market has its own fire department and is home to Madison County governmental offices. The New Market Volunteer Fire Department was founded in 1974 and has since expanded to meet the growing needs of the New Market community. The New Market Volunteer Fire Department operates two stations in the New Market area and is planning on opening a third station in the near future. The fire department offers fire, rescue, EMS and other emergency services to the New Market community. New Market is located in Madison County, Alabama and is where the Madison County Commissioner for District One maintains its office. New Market is the home to a number of Madison County governmental offices. For example, the Parks and Recreation Department, the Board of Education, and the Water Department all have offices in New Market. See Exhibit 1.

(5) New Market has its own zip code. The zip code designated exclusively for New Market is 35761, and the U.S. Post Office operates an office at 5516 Winchester Road. See Exhibit 1. While New Market does not have a separate telephone directory, the presence of its own zip code favors independence and the lack of a separate telephone directory is not fatal to a finding of independence. See *Crisfield, MD. et. al.*, 18 FCC Rcd 19199 (2003).

(6) New Market has its own commercial establishments and health facilities. New Market is home to a variety of businesses. Many of these businesses identify themselves by using “New Market” in their names, for example: New Market Agri-Equipment, New Market Agri-Chemical, New Market Bar-B-Que, New Market Deli, New Market Restaurant, New Market Food Town, New Market Hair Design, New Market Iron Works, and New Market Nursery. Other businesses in New Market include, the Ole Hickory Pitt BBQ, the Community Bank, Bates Grocery, Edwards Grocery, Mother Brewers, Kristen’s Kennel, Southern Scoopers,

and the Pants Barn. *See* Exhibit 1.

There are approximately fifteen (15) churches in New Market, including the New Market Presbyterian Church, the New Market Baptist Church, the New Market Methodist Church, and the New Market Holiness Church. Healthcare services are provided by the New Market Clinic, which is a part of Central North Alabama Health Services. The New Market Clinic provides access to comprehensive primary health care for all New Market residents. Additional medical services are provided by sole practitioners with offices in New Market. *See* Exhibit 1.

(7) *New Market is a separate and distinct advertising market from Huntsville.* Business and residents of New Market can advertise in the Madison County Record. This provides the community of New Market with an advertising market that is separate and distinct from Huntsville.

(8) *New Market has its own schools, and its police protection is provided independent of Huntsville.* The Madison County School System provides public education for children in New Market in the form of two elementary schools and one high school. The New Market Elementary School serves grades K-8 and the Walnut Grove Elementary serves grades K-6. Buckhorn High School is the public high school for the New Market community. *See* Exhibit 1.

New Market relies on Madison County not Huntsville for some of its municipal services. For example, police protection is provided by Madison County. However, it is common for a community to rely on county sources for some of its services, and New Market does not rely on Huntsville for these services.

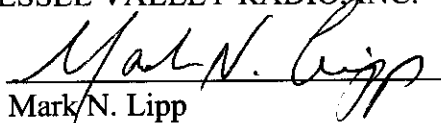
CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons the Commission should delete Channel 227C1 at Tullahoma, Tennessee and allot Channel 227C2 at New Market, Alabama as that community's first local service as requested in Tennessee Valley's Petition. New Market is an independent community deserving of a first local service. Tennessee Valley reiterates that if the Commission grants this petition, it will file an application and construct the authorized facilities.

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EXHIBIT 1



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FACT SHEET

New Market CDP, Alabama

Highlights from the Census 2000 Demographic Profiles:

General Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Total population	1,864	100.0	100%	map	brief
Male	938	50.3	49.1%	map	brief
Female	926	49.7	50.9%	map	brief
Median Age (years)	35.3	(X)	35.3	map	brief
Under 5 years	124	6.7	6.8%	map	
18 years and over	1,377	73.9	74.3%		
65 years and over	203	10.9	12.4%	map	brief
One race - Total	1,812	97.2	97.6%		
White	1,625	87.2	75.1%	map	brief
Black or African American	117	6.3	12.3%	map	brief
American Indian and Alaska Native	42	2.3	0.9%	map	brief
Asian	3	0.2	3.6%	map	brief
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.1%	map	brief
Some other race	25	1.3	5.5%	map	
Two or more races	52	2.8	2.4%	map	brief
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	66	3.5	12.5%	map	brief
Average household size	2.67	(X)	2.59	map	brief
Average family size	3.05	(X)	3.14	map	
Total housing units	787	100.0	100.0%	map	
Occupied housing units	692	87.9	91.0%		brief
Owner-occupied housing units	578	83.5	66.2%	map	
Renter-occupied housing units	114	16.5	33.8%	map	brief
Vacant housing units	95	12.1	9.0%	map	
Social Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Population 25 years and over	1,256	100.0			
High school graduate or higher	757	60.3	80.4%	map	brief
Bachelor's degree or higher	142	16.6	24.4%	map	
Civilian veterans (civilian population 25 years and older)	139	9.7	12.7%	map	brief
Disability Status (population 21 to 64 years)	270	24.8	19.2%	map	brief
Foreign Born	51	2.6	11.1%	map	brief
Now Married (population 15 years and over)	964	65.7	54.4%		brief
Speak a language other than English at home (5 years and older)	72	4.1	17.9%	map	brief
Economic Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
In Labor Force (16 years and older)	901	61.4	63.9%		brief
Mean travel time to work in minutes (16 years and older)	32.6	(X)	25.5	map	
Median household income (dollars)	42,985	(X)	41,994	map	
Median family income (dollars)	46,696	(X)	50,046	map	
Per capita income (dollars)	18,799	(X)	21,857	map	
Families below poverty level	39	7.5	9.2%	map	brief
Individuals below poverty level	216	11.2	12.4%	map	
Housing Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Single-family owner-occupied homes	386	100.0			
Median value (dollars)	72,200	(X)	119,600	map	brief
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)			
With a mortgage	627	(X)	1,088	map	
Not mortgaged	188	(X)	295		

(X) Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary File 1 (SF 1) and Summary File 3 (SF 3)



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FACT SHEET

Huntsville city, Alabama

Highlights from the Census 2000 Demographic Profiles:

General Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Total population	158,216	100.0	100%	map	brief
Male	76,174	48.1	49.1%	map	brief
Female	82,042	51.9	50.9%	map	brief
Median Age (years)	36.7	(X)	35.3	map	brief
Under 5 years	9,732	6.2	6.8%	map	
18 years and over	121,601	76.9	74.3%		
65 years and over	21,162	13.4	12.4%	map	brief
One race - Total	155,301	98.2	97.6%		
White	101,998	64.5	75.1%	map	brief
Black or African American	47,792	30.2	12.3%	map	brief
American Indian and Alaska Native	857	0.5	0.9%	map	brief
Asian	3,519	2.2	3.6%	map	brief
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	88	0.1	0.1%	map	brief
Some other race	1,047	0.7	5.5%	map	
Two or more races	2,915	1.8	2.4%	map	brief
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3,225	2.0	12.5%	map	brief
Average household size	2.29	(X)	2.59	map	brief
Average family size	2.91	(X)	3.14	map	
Total housing units	73,670	100.0	100.0%	map	
Occupied housing units	66,742	90.6	91.0%		brief
Owner-occupied housing units	41,121	61.6	66.2%	map	
Renter-occupied housing units	25,621	38.4	33.8%	map	brief
Vacant housing units	6,928	9.4	9.0%	map	
Social Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Population 25 years and over	104,714	100.0			
High school graduate or higher	89,731	85.7	80.4%	map	brief
Bachelor's degree or higher	24,438	36.1	24.4%	map	
Civilian veterans (civilian population 25 years and older)	19,478	16.1	12.7%	map	brief
Disability Status (population 21 to 64 years)	16,382	17.8	19.2%	map	brief
Foreign Born	7,780	4.9	11.1%	map	brief
Now Married (population 15 years and over)	66,910	52.4	54.4%		brief
Speak a language other than English at home (5 years and older)	9,437	6.4	17.9%	map	brief
Economic Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
In Labor Force (16 years and older)	81,393	64.7	63.9%		brief
Mean travel time to work in minutes (16 years and older)	18.3	(X)	25.5	map	
Median household income (dollars)	41,074	(X)	41,994	map	
Median family income (dollars)	52,202	(X)	50,046	map	
Per capita income (dollars)	24,015	(X)	21,857	map	
Families below poverty level	4,091	9.8	9.2%	map	brief
Individuals below poverty level	19,542	12.8	12.4%	map	
Housing Characteristics - show more >>	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Single-family owner-occupied homes	38,181	100.0			
Median value (dollars)	97,300	(X)	119,600	map	brief
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)			
With a mortgage	864	(X)	1,088	map	
Not mortgaged	231	(X)	295		

(X) Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary File 1 (SF 1) and Summary File 3 (SF 3)

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Workers 16 years and over

Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data

NOTE: Data based on a sample except in P3, P4, H3, and H4. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions see <http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/datanotes/expsf3.htm>.

	New Market CDP, Alabama
Total:	848
Living in a place:	848
Worked in place of residence	43
Worked outside place of residence	805
Not living in a place	0

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U.S. House of Representatives. A ravishing beauty in her youth, Tallulah was known for her uninhibited exuberance, deep sultry voice, and for calling everyone "Dahling." She appeared in 56 plays, 19 movies, and scores of radio and television productions during her 50-year career. She is buried in the churchyard of St. Paul's, Kent County, Maryland.

Temple B'nai Sholom

Huntsville's first Jewish citizens arrived during the 1840's. Congregation B'nai Sholom ("Sons of Peace") was founded July 30, 1876 by 32 families.

They affiliated in 1877 with the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, the Reform Movement. Construction of the Temple began in 1898, and it was dedicated on November 26, 1899. Chairman of the Building Committee was Isaac Schiffman. Architecture is primarily of the Romanesque Revival style, with influences of the Renaissance Revival in the west front gable. The Temple was designed by architect R.H. Hunt of Chattanooga. Extensive restoration was completed in 1994. Temple B'nai Sholom is the oldest synagogue in Alabama in continuous use.

The Leroy Pope Mansion, 1814

During the original Madison County Land Sales of 1809, LeRoy Pope of Petersburg, GA, secured among other purchases a majority of Section 36, Township 3, Range 1 West, the site of the future town of Twickenham, as Huntsville was originally known. Pope created Popular Grove Plantation on this site and erected his home in 1814 in time to entertain Gen. Andrew Jackson on his return from the Battle of Horseshoe Bend. The residence was among the earliest brick structures in Alabama. Inherited by his son, William H. Pope, the mansion was sold in 1848 to Dr. Charles Hays Patton, who commissioned George Steele to add the handsome Classical Revival portico. Nearby during the Civil War, Federal forces built an earthen breastwork to defend the eastern approaches to the city.

Town of Gurley

Located on land owned by John Gurley, pioneer settler, and named for him. His son, Capt. Frank B. Gurley, became a Confederate hero as a member of the 4th Ala. Cavalry.

The settlement that developed around the water tank on Memphis and Charleston R.R. was known as Gurley's Tank.

Post office established in 1866 as Gurleysville and town incorporated as Gurley in 1891.

Madison County High School located here in 1907.

Last hometown of Senator and Mrs. C. C. Clay, Jr.

Town of New Market

Settled by Pioneers early as 1806

Voting precinct established 1827

Town incorporated 1837

George Smith, major landowner of town site, build first log house and established mercantile business, 1814. John Miller excavated millrace, erected gristmill and sawmill, 1819. William Hayter, first Postmaster, 1827-1839.

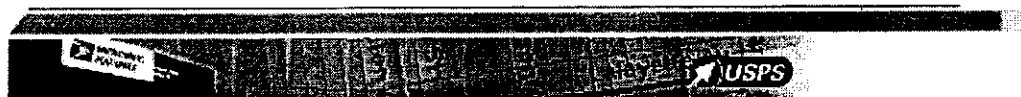
Town became a thriving commercial center for a prosperous agricultural community, once known as "The Watercress Capital of the World;" greatly respected for development of religious and educational endeavors, and furnishing political leadership in local and state governments.



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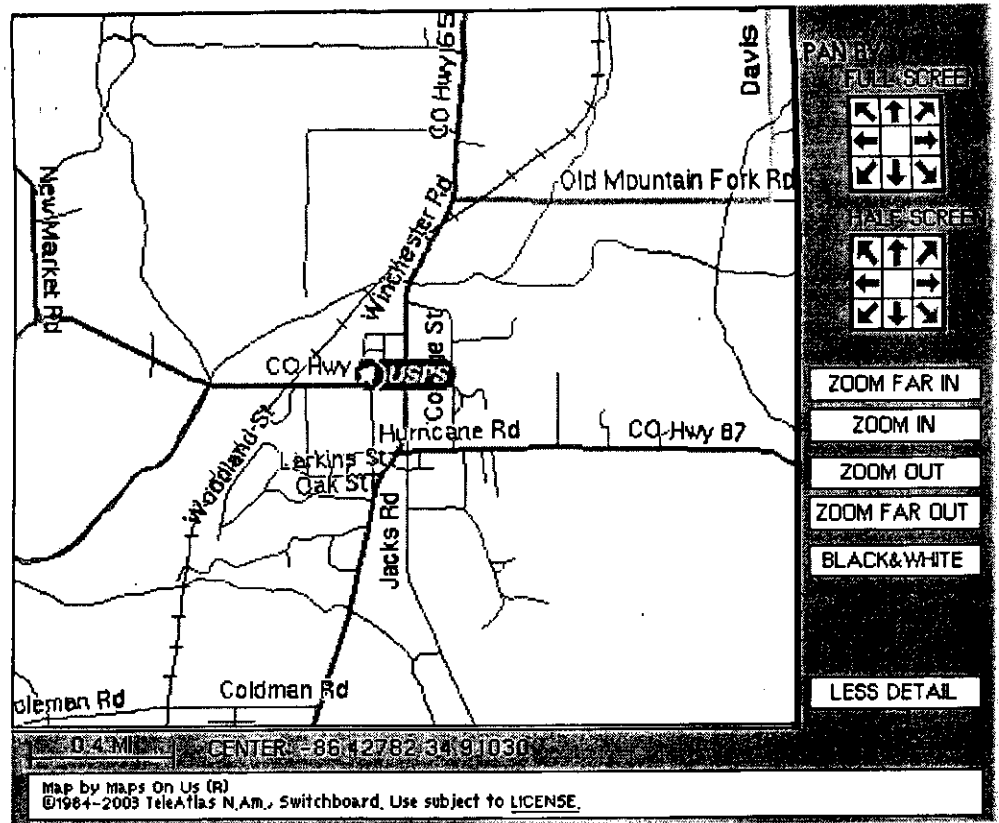
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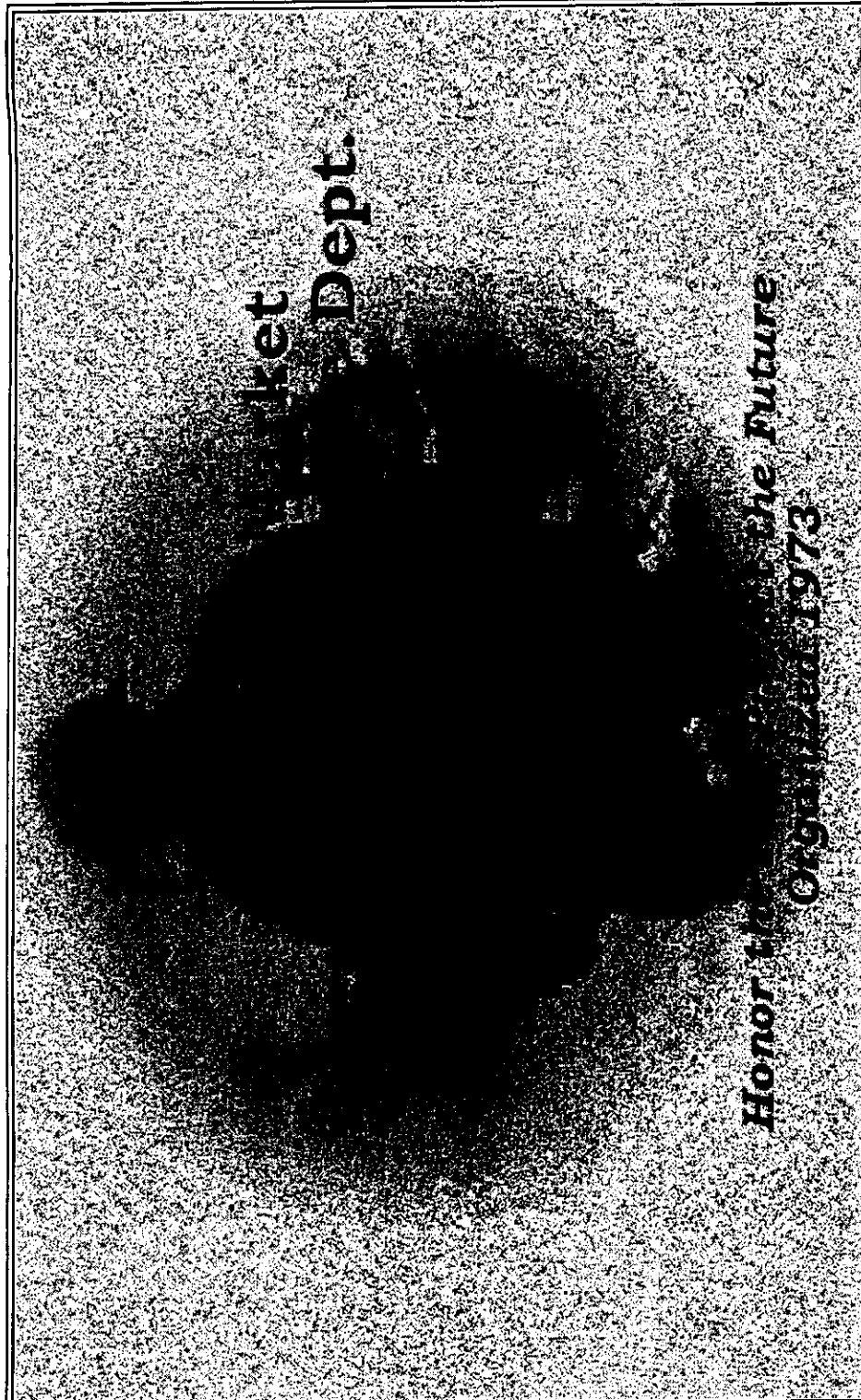
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Mailing Address

New Market Vol. Fire Dept.

P.O. Box 370

New Market, AL 35761

Fax (256) 379-5300



History of New Market Vol. Fire Dept.

A meeting to discuss the possibility of a volunteer fire department for the New Market Community was held at the New Market Restaurant on September 23, 1973. Another meeting was held on September 30, 1973, for the purpose of organizing and electing officers. Incorporation papers were filed with Probate Judge Myrtle Green on October 9, 1974.

The first truck was obtained early in 1974 from the Alabama State Forestry Commission. Considerable time and money was required to make this an operational unit by June 10, 1974. During this time, efforts had been made to obtain land on which to build a fire station. Perry and Rosa Harned offered to donate a lot on Church Street when the property at the site of the Old Mountain Fork School became available. The school property had an existing building used as a lunchroom that was suitable to convert into a fire station. Although Madison County Commission Chairman James Record thought a decision would be made on March 28, 1975, it took until March 31, 1976 to work out all of the legal problems between the County Commission and the Board of Education for this property. During April and May, work on the old lunchroom building went forward, and on May 18, 1976, the first meeting was held in the building.

On March 22, 1978, a group of members drove to Wilmington, Delaware to purchase a 1951 Ford fire truck, which they drove back to New Market. Once again with some hard work and community support, mechanical expertise, and many hours of time, New Market had its first Fire Pumper.

In May of 1982, an additional fire station was opened in the Plevna Community. New Market Station #2 was built by the people of that community on land donated by Edwin Bates Jr. It houses equipment necessary for the reduction of insurance rates in the northern area of the fire district.

In July of 1992, the community opened a new fire station with a four-bay truck room, a meeting room used for community events, and an office. This facility has enabled the Fire Department to better serve the community in both fire protection, and other emergency needs.

The Madison County Commission has been very supportive of the department. Members of the community have given generously to support the financial needs and the membership has given sacrificially of their time and talent to make this an outstanding Fire Department. Training and proper equipment has always been of prime importance to the department. As of 2003, the New Market Volunteer Fire Department has 2 station's and 8 fire apparatus in front line service and an ISO (Insurance Standards Organization) rating of 5/9.

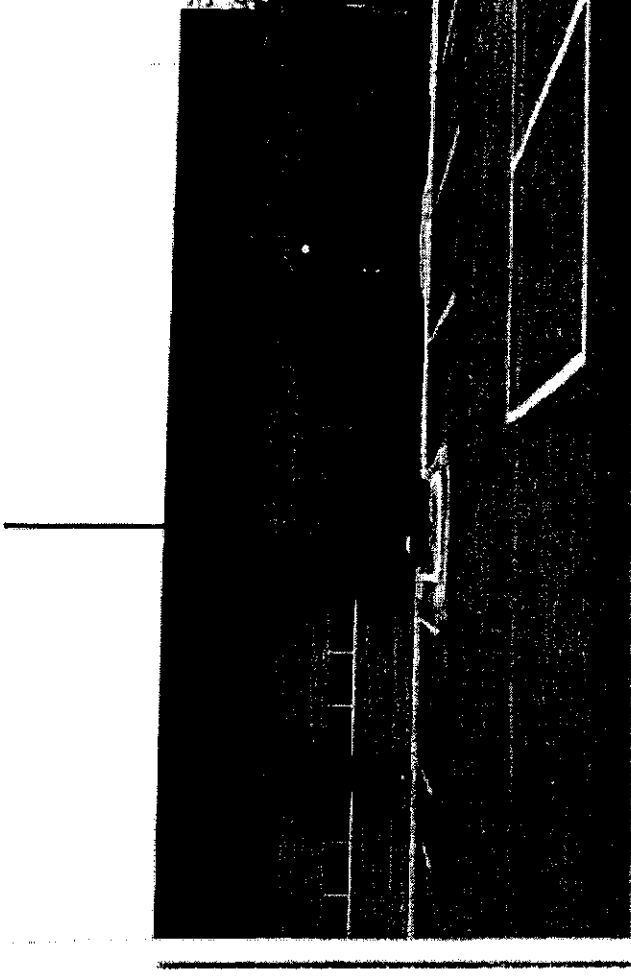
In 2003 the department purchased a 1998 E-one from the Klien Fire Dept. in Texas, and the Madison County Association of Volunteer Fire Departments bidded out 15 new fire engines. New Market was given one of these new engines. That gives the department 4 front line pumper to serve New Market and it surround community's. There are plans to build another station in the Hurricane Community located

east of New Market in Eastern Madison County.

The Fire Department provides the New Market Community with both fire protection and emergency medical response 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Its members provide this service for nothing more than "Thank You".

STATION #1

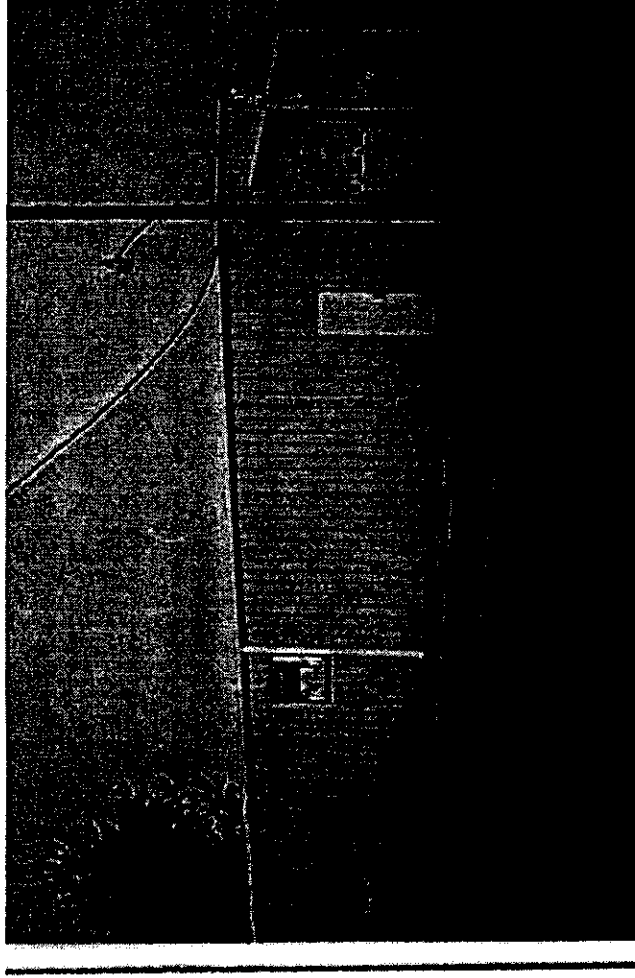
146 Jacks Rd



Station 1 is located 14 miles Northeast of Huntsville, AL and is located in the town of New Market. This building was erected in 1992 it houses 4 trucks.

STATION #2

125 Old Winchester Rd



Station 2 is located in the community of Plevna which is 4 miles Northeast of New Market, AL and 2 miles South of the Alabama/Tennessee State Line. This Station houses 2 trucks.

Station 3

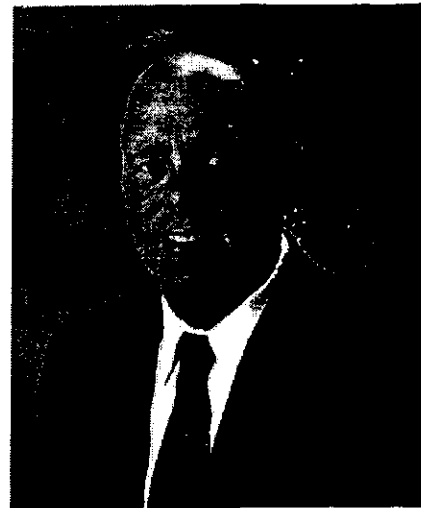
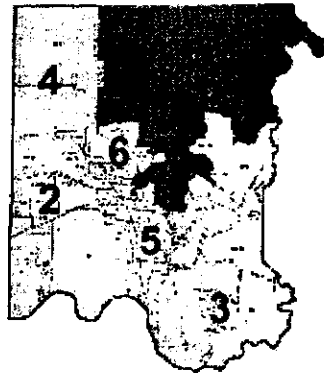
There are plans to build a station On Hurricane Road between Sharpes Hollow Rd and Ray Rd. This is to better serve the community in the Hurricane Valley of Eastern Madison County North of County Lake Rd.

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District One Commissioner

**Represents:**

Northeastern Madison County that includes in the city of Huntsville, Chapman, the old Dallas and Lincoln Mills neighborhoods, Five Points, and downtown Huntsville

Roger Jones
District One
Commissioner

All my life, I have lived and earned my living farming and as a businessman in District 1. For the past 5 1/2 years, I represented the people of my District on the Madison County Board of Education. In this position I have worked with the other Board members establishing policy and managing a \$93 million annual budget. My cooperative spirit and my ability to work with other board members have contributed to my success in obtaining improvements in my district. As your Commissioner, this same spirit of cooperation is extended to the other members of the County Commission.

As Commissioner of District 1, I will always remember that you elected me to represent you and that the office belongs to you. My door is always open, and I am as close as your telephone. You have my assurance that every citizen will be treated fairly and courteously.

Together we can make Madison County an even better place to live. I am happy to serve you as your full time County Commissioner of District 1. If, I or any of my staff can be of assistance please contact me at 256-828-0726. My E-Mail address is dist1@co.madison.al.us.

Biography:

A life-long resident of Madison County, Roger Jones operates a family farm which includes row crops, nursery plants, a sod farm and cattle. He is in partnership with his son Jeff and an uncle in the New Market Nursery and owns and operates the New Market Sod Farm with his son Greg. Jones has been married to Brenda Harmening Jones for 36 years and has three children and five grandchildren. He graduated from Buckhorn High School and attended Auburn University. He was nominated "Outstanding Young Farmer of the Year" in 1977.

Jones, in his first term as District One Madison County Commissioner, has served since 2000.

Community Activities:

Elected to the Madison County Board of Education, 1994 - Served as President
Trustee, Walnut Grove School, 1978-1982
Trustee, Buckhorn High School, 1982-1990
Director, North Alabama Bank
Madison County Farmer's Federation - Director since 1980
Madison County Cattlemen's Association, 1991-1995 - President 1995
Member, State Board of the Alabama Farmer's Federation - Nursery, Sod and Greenhouse Division

Commissioner Roger Jones

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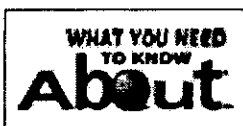
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Recreation Department

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Recreation Department, Madison County 379-2868
Sharon Johnston Park, Coleman Road, New Market AL 35761, Fax 379-2151

The Madison County Rural Recreation Department coordinates a variety of sports for both boys and girls ages 5 to 14: baseball/softball, soccer, basketball, swimming, and football and cheerleading. Gyms are located throughout Madison County. All services depend heavily on volunteer coordinators and parents/staff. More than 20,000 youngsters participate in the different sports every year plus tremendous family support.

When first registering your child in sports, you must bring a copy of their birth certificate. Program fees for each sport cost approximately \$50 (that fee includes supplemental sports activity insurance). Uniforms may involve additional cost depending on whether the team has sponsors. Registration begins in February for Baseball and Softball; in May for Swimming Lessons; in July for Football and Cheerleading; in August for Soccer; and in September for basketball.

GYM locations and sports offered:

- Blue Water Springs Park-Madison Crossroads
1048 Opp Reynolds Road, Toney 828-4454
Pool 828-9954
Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading, Basketball, Swimming, Swimming Lessons
Contact: Deborah Martin Home 828-5091
- Central Middle School Gym
990 Ryland Pike, Huntsville
Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football, Basketball, Soccer, Gym
Contact: Tim Marsh Home 859-1102
- Gurley
311 Third Street, Gurley 776-2926
Pool 776-2926
Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading, Basketball, Swimming, Swimming Lessons, Gym
Contact: Tim Ward Home 776-0270
- Hazel Green
168 Carriger Road, Hazel Green 828-5153
Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading,

Basketball, Soccer, Gym; Adult Softball

Contact: Lori White Home 828-2441

- **Monrovia-Harvest**

Phillips Park, 1962 Jeff Road, Huntsville 837-6710

Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading,
Basketball, Soccer

Contact: Ken Strickland Home 461-9284

- **New Hope**

263 YMCA Road, New Hope 723-2111

Pool 723-3800

Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading,
Basketball, Swimming, Swimming Lessons, Gym; Adult
Volleyball

Contact: Dean Manley Home 723-5974

- **New Market, Riverton, Walnut Grove**

447 Hurricane Road, New Market 379-2860

Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Football/Cheerleading,
Basketball, Gym, Adult Volleyball and Softball

Contact: Kenny Johnson Home 379-3546

- **Owens Cross Road Middle School**

161 Wilson Mann Road, Owens Cross Roads

Youth Sports: Baseball/Softball, Basketball

Contact: Larry Malone Home 725-4630

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